



REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted in advance of the first examination of the subject application in order to correct typographical errors and insert the serial numbers and filing dates of the related applications. No new matter has been entered.

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This application contains material related to the following commonly assigned U.S. Patent Applications, which were concurrently filed with this application, and are hereby incorporated by reference:

Serial No. 09/746,490, [] filed 22 December 2000
[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING THE
LOCATION OF FRAME SYNCHRONIZATION WORDS IN A
MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/745,655, [] filed 22 December 2000
[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING THE VALUE
OF FRAME SYNCHRONIZATION WORDS IN A MULTIDIMENSIONAL
DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/747,380, [] filed 22 December 2000
[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING THE BIT
ERROR RATE OF FRAME SYNCHRONIZATION WORDS IN A
MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/746,152, [] filed 22 December 2000
[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING THE
QUANTITY OF FRAME SYNCHRONIZATION WORDS IN A
MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/745,793, [] filed 22 December 2000
[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SELECTIVELY
BROADCASTING A MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

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Serial No. 09/745,774, [] filed 22 December 2000

[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING
SYNCHRONIZATION [SYNCHRONIZING] CRITERIA IN A
MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/747,072, [] filed 22 December 2000

[] for "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING LOSS OF
SYNCHRONIZATION IN A MULTIDIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FRAME
STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/527,343, filed 17 March 2000 for "TRANSPOSABLE
FRAME SYNCHRONIZATION STRUCTURE"

Serial No. 09/528,021, filed 17 March 2000 for "PROGRAMMABLE
SYNCHRONIZATION STRUCTURE WITH AUXILIARY DATA LINK"

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